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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS
SUN LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA.
HEAD OFFICE: MONTREAL.
FROM this date RENEWAL PAYMENTS must be made at the Company's Office, No. 8, Praya Central.

NOTICE
MR. LEONG MAN SAU, Managing Partner of **LEONG KONG GONG HO** & Co., No. 34, North Canal Road, Singapore, Timber Merchants and Steam Ship Mill Owners, being now in Hongkong, is prepared to accept orders for Singapore, Timor, Pile, Borneo, Siam, etc., at every description. Particulars may be had on application at the **SAN KU TAI FIRM**, No. 20, Queen's Road West, 1st Floor, where samples are kept on hand.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI.
The Company's Steamship
"FORMOSA,"
Captain Douglas, will be despatched for the above ports TO-MORROW, the 28th inst. at 3 p.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to **DOUGLAS & CO.**, General Managers, Hongkong, 26th April, 1900.

FOR SHANGHAI.
"LOONGMOON,"
Captain F. W. Schell, will be despatched for the above port TO-MORROW, the 28th inst. at 3 p.m.
This steamer has superior accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers.
For Freight or Passage, apply to **SIEMSEN & CO.**, General Managers, Hongkong, 26th April, 1900.

THE OSAKA SHOSSEN KAISHA, LIMITED.
FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWAN.
The Company's Steamship
"ANPING MARU,"
Captain I. Sato, will be despatched for the above ports NEXT WEDNESDAY, the 2nd May, at DAYLIGHT.
For Freight or Passage, apply to **THE MITSUBI BISHAN KAISHA**, Agents, Hongkong, 27th April, 1900.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.
The Company's Steamship
"SUTANG,"
Captain Tadd, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd May, at Noon.
For Freight or Passage, apply to **JARDINE, MATHEWSON & CO.**, General Managers, Hongkong, 27th April, 1900.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.
The Company's Steamship
"SUISANG,"
having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from alongside.
Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after noon, the Boat intended to be landed at Consignee's risk and expense into Godowns at East Point.
No Fire Insurance will be effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by **JARDINE, MATHEWSON & CO.**, General Managers, Hongkong, 26th April, 1900.

THE HONGKONG WEEKLY PRESS will be ready to-morrow and will contain:
Leading Articles.
The United States and Commercial Policy in the Pacific.
Bribery and the Chinese Population.
The West River Piracy Question.
Japan's Financial Growth.
The Korean Crisis.
Imperial Representation.
Sanitary Record.
Chamber of Commerce.
Hanging Hotel Co.
Great Eastern & Caledonian Gold Mining Co.
Correspondence.
Mails Notes.
Canton Notes.
Rooftop Notes.
Variety, Entertainment at the Theatre Royal.
Royal Hongkong Yacht Club.
Hongkong Volunteer Corps.
Hongkong and Pori News.
Subscription, \$12 per Annum, payable in advance; postage, 2s.
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Hongkong, 27th April, 1900.

DISC. AND GILLINGS, TAILORS AND BREECHES MAKERS.
3 PRATA CENTRAL.
BEG to notify the Public that they have commenced BUSINESS at the above address with a well selected Stock of TROPICAL TWEEDS, FLANNELS, DRESS SUITINGS, WHITE and FANCY VESTINGS, etc.
Every article given to Fit Style, and Punctuality, combined with Moderate Charges.
A Trial Order respectfully solicited.
Hongkong, 27th April, 1900.

THE PEAK CHURCH.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF WORSHIPERS at the Peak Church will be held in the Vestry, in St. John's Lane, DEAR, on WEDNESDAY, 2nd May, at 4.30 p.m.

BUSINESS.
To pass the Accounts and Report and elect the Committee.
B. F. CORBOLD, Hon. Sec.
Hongkong, 26th April, 1900.

ONE or Two Gentlemen can have REST. DINNER at English family on the upper level. Good locality.
Address: **W. G.**, Care of Daily Press Office, Hongkong, 23rd April, 1900.

ENTERTAINMENTS
THEATRE ROYAL
Manager: **MR. JAMES BELL**
TO-NIGHT (FRIDAY) and TO-MORROW (SATURDAY) POSITIVELY LAST TWO PERFORMANCES of the **ADA DELROY COMPANY**.
CHANGE OF PROGRAMME.
THE ENGLISH DERBY, OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE RACE.
FINAL FORTHE ENGLISH FOOTBALL CUP AND

THE TRANSVAAL WAR.
CHANGE OF PROGRAMME.
THE CONVICTS ESCAPE.
THE WHITE MAHATMA.
World Dream Vision.
THE TOPIC OF HONGKONG.
Miss ADA DELROY and 12 STAR ARTISTS.

GRAND CHANGE OF PROGRAMME.
Admission: 4s, 2s, and 1s.
Box plan at the ROBINSON PRIMO Co.
Doors open at 6.15. Commence 8 o'clock. Terminate 11.45.

Special Late Theatre Steamers will leave for Kowloon every evening after the performance.
Special Late Theatre Train Cars will leave for the Peak after the performance THIS EVENING, the 27th inst.

JAMES MORGAN
Business Representative.
Hongkong, 27th April, 1900.

TO-NIGHT at 9
GRAND CHANGE OF PROGRAMME.

WARREN'S CIRCUS.
OPP. HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, WEST POINT.
NEW SENSATIONS AND SOUL-STIRRING SCENES.

THE AMAZING EQUESTRIAN.
SCARF ACT.
THREE MERRY CLOWNS IN A TUB.

THE MERRY "WILLIAM TELL"
BURLESQUE.
THE BONELESS WONDER.

THE BOXING ENTREE.
THE HORIZONTAL BARS.
THE GREAT CHAIR PYRAMID.

NEW PANTOMIMES.
NEW ENKEES, &c.
Box Plan at Messrs. ROBINSON PRIMO Co.

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NOTICE.
A MEETING of the Emergency of the **BOHEAN MARK LODGE** will be held at the **PERMANENT HALL** TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), the 28th inst. at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend.
Hongkong, 26th April, 1900.

REGULAR MEETING of the **PERMANENT HALL** on TUESDAY, the 1st May, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend.
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MEETING of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace will be held at the Magistrate's Office at 11.15 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of MAY, A.D. 1900, for the purpose of considering an application from one **WILHELM KRATZ** for permission to REMOVE his licensed Publican's Business from House No. 288 and 290, Queen's Road Central, to House No. 304 and 306, Queen's Road Central, under the sign of "Rose, Shamrock, and Thistle Hotel."
H. H. J. GOMPERTZ, Magistrate.
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AUCTIONS
PUBLIC AUCTION.
The Underigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, TO-DAY (FRIDAY), the 27th April, 1900, commencing at 10 a.m. at Edmond's, the Residence of **GEORGE H. STUBBS**, Esq., the contents of the **VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PAINTINGS, CURTAINS, &c.**
Comprising:
FIVE CARVED CANTEEN BLACK WOOD CROCKERY TABLES, TEA-POTS, and CHAIRS JAPANESE INLAID CABINET, CHERRY LAQUEER WETTING DESK, BEAK OVER MANTLES with BEVELLED MIRRORS, BRASS PEN-DER, BRASS STANDARD LAMP, LACE, and MUSLIN CURTAINS, JAPANESE CLOISONNE VASHS and PLATES, CHINESE PORCELAIN, COLLECTION OF BIRDS EGGS (including Raven, ORNAMENT, CARPETS, RUGS, &c.)
EX-PANISH DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD, with BEVELLED MIRRORS, BASS WARE, CHINA, and CROCKERY, WARE, ENGLAND, SINGLE IRON BEDSTEADS, WARDROBES with MIRRORS, MARBLE TOP BUREAU with MIRROR, MARBLE TOP WASHSTANDS, CHESTS OF DRAWERS, TOILET SETS, &c., &c.
BATHROOM and PANTRY REQUISITES.
One GRAND PIANO by John Brinsford & Sons (in excellent condition).
One ENGLISH BILLIARD TABLE.
A FINE COLLECTION of JAPANESE ARMS.
A QUANTITY of VALUABLE DEEP SEA SHELLS, FINE WATER COLOUR PAINTINGS of AUSTRALIAN BIRDS, BEVELLED MIRRORS, &c., &c.
VERY RARE, NEW GUINEA STUFFED BIRDS.
And
About 4,000 POTTS and PLANTS, TENNIS BALLS, &c., &c.
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Terms:—As Customary.
GEORGE P. LAMBERT, Auctioneer.
Hongkong, 26th April, 1900.

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Including:
Drawing Room Suite, MARBLE TOP CENTRE and SIDE TABLES, CHIMNEY GLASSES and ORNAMENTS, EXTENSION DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD, MARBLE TOP BUREAU, MARBLE TOP WASHSTAND, CHAIRS, WRITING TABLE and BENCH, CROCKERY, GLASS and PLATED WARE.
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THE CHASTLY FIND AT KOWLOON.

THE INQUEST.
At the Magistrate's yesterday Mr. Gompertz continued his enquiry into the circumstances connected with the death of Fakhiera Khan, a private in the Hongkong Regiment, whose body, riddled with bullet holes, was found buried near the shooting range at Kowloon.

Hayat Khan, a private in "B" company of Hongkong Regiment, said he was on line duty the night Fakhiera Khan disappeared. He did not remember the date. He was on sentry duty from 10 p.m. to 12 midnight. A little before midnight he saw Malang Khan coming from outside. He asked him where he had been and he replied to the latrine. He was on duty in front of No. 4 section. Malang Khan was coming from the direction of the Mosque. The urinal was on the other side—the north side, the mosque being on the south side. Malang Khan had a black turban on and dirty light clothing. He was sure he had his turban on. Some men put on their turban when they got up to go to the latrine. Shortly after Malang Khan came in he saw Mohamed Khan come in about 30 yards behind him. He came from the southwards, from the direction of the lower hospital block urinal. Witness challenged Mohamed Khan. He asked him where he had been and he replied in E Company. Witness did not notice how Mohamed Khan was dressed. He did not see either of these men leave the match-shed. Witness was in B Company, No. 1 section. Malang Khan was in No. 3 section of the same company. Mohamed Khan was in the 2nd section of B Company. Witness made no report of what he had seen. It was a common thing in the barracks for men to go out and come in again. He knew Fakhiera Khan by sight. He did not see him that night. He did not see Saifallah that night.

Abdullah Khan, Subadar in D Company, No. 1 section said that Private Saifallah was in his section. Witness was in his section room the night Fakhiera Khan disappeared. He was the orderly non-commissioned officer of the company. If the man wished to leave the section room after "lights out" he had to ask permission. No one asked his permission to go out that night. He did not know whether anyone went out without leave. "Lights out" sounded at 9.15 p.m. At 9.45 p.m. everyone was in the section room and he went to report all correct to the native officer of the company. On his way back to bed he struck a light and saw that Saifallah was lying on his bed in his quilt. Saifallah's bed being the third from witness. He struck a light because it was dark. He then went to sleep. He did not know when Saifallah came into the section room that night. He got up at sunrise the next morning at 5 a.m. and took the roll call. Everyone was present. He was in hospital on the 24th March. Nay Khan came to see him on that day at 8 a.m. He said people suspected Saifallah of his (witness's) section of having a revolver. He said the Subadar wished him to keep an eye on him and get the revolver if possible. He said nothing about the night Fakhiera Khan disappeared. He did not say that witness was to see that Saifallah was in the section room all that night. He said nothing like that. He did not know whether Saifallah ever had a sword, stick or any other sharp weapon. Had he seen one he should have arrested him. Saifallah was private in witness's section. He did not know of any sword or stick belonging to anyone. He had not recently come from the front. He had heard nothing about any sword. He had heard that some men in the regiment had had a quarrel, but he was on furlough at the time. He did not know that any man left the section room or came in that night. Two men of his section—Privates Madir Khan and Sandallah Khan—were on sentry that night from 9.45 to midnight and from 12 to two. Other evidence was given and the enquiry was adjourned until Thursday next.

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

LIQUID AIR EXPLOSIONS—A VIBRATING TABLE—SETTING DIAMONDS IN SAWS—PROGRESS ON THE FARM—POTATO POISONING—DISTILLED METALS—NOVEL CAUSE OF RED NOSES—A CONTINENT'S STONEWALL—SKEEL DELIVERIES—A RUSSIAN INSTITUTION.

When liquid air is evaporated, the nitrogen escapes first, causing the liquid soon to become nearly pure oxygen, as may be demonstrated by the fierce bluing up of a glowing bit of wood plunged into it. Powdered charcoal saturated with the liquid burns like gunpowder when ignited, and may be exploded by a detonator cap. A Bavarian chemist, Carl Linde, has been making experiments that lead him to believe he may change one view of explosions. He mixed petroleum with an absorbent, like kieselguhr or cork-wood powder, then saturated it with liquid oxygen, and found that the mixture would explode violently even when not confined. In cartridges, the effects seemed to be greater than those of blasting gelatine, hitherto regarded as the most powerful explosive. Detonated in a large bomb, provided with a suitable registering apparatus, the petroleum and liquid air preparation showed a maximum gas pressure greater than that from blasting gelatine and reached it more quickly.

To test the effect of vibrations on accumulators and electrical measuring apparatus, the Central Laboratory of Electricity, in Paris, has devised a table that can be given practically the same joltings that an automobile in action receives. The table is supported by eight springs in pairs at the four corners. Under the table are two tappets that are raised by a cam on a shaft driven by a two-spindle cone pulley, and by varying the relative position of the cam and the tension of the springs, as well as the speed of the shaft, a great range of vibrations can be given.

The loss of diamonds, which has proved a serious drawback in the use of diamond saws for stone-cutting, is obviated by Mr. James Anderson, a Scotch inventor, by fixing the stones in sockets in the steel by means of an electric welding machine.

Measurements by an American microscopist to test the theory that the red blood corpuscles vary in size in different races have failed to show any marked differences.

A new era in British farming has been inaugurated by the endowment of a chair of agriculture at Cambridge University. In no field of effort has British conservatism shown to greater disadvantage than among the tillers of the soil, and an address by Prof. Somerville introducing the new collegiate department points out that intelligent use of the discoveries of science will ensure success even in times of depression, while only failure can come from ignoring the results of modern research. "It is the fortune of agriculture," he said, "to be indebted to science at every turn. Zoology and physiology play their part in such directions as the breeding and feeding of live-stock, in the various ramifications of the veterinary art, and in the attractive section of economic entomology. Geology affects practical agriculture to a less extent, but no science adds more to the pleasures of a farmer's life. Mathematics and physics lend their assistance in such work as the calculation of volumes and areas in draining, levelling, road-making, the use and maintenance of machinery and the like." It is added that familiarity with the principles of physical and natural science shows better how to improve cultivation.

An epidemic of acute catarrh of the stomach and intestines, affecting fifty-six soldiers, has been traced by H. E. Pfahli to new potatoes. These potatoes, which were gathered in June, contained about six times the normal proportion of solanine, and small spots on the surface of the peeled tubers showed a third more than the rest. It was found that the men who ate their entire portion had taken about five grains of solanine sufficient to produce severe disturbances.

Distilling various metals, Kahlbaum of Basel has found that a number of them that usually rust quickly—like iron ore—can be purified that it becomes difficult to oxidize them. Iron is a beautiful silver-white metal that does not tarnish in the air. This proves to be the most difficult of the common metals to pass over in a vacuum it does not begin to rust until a temperature of 1600 C. is reached.

Redness of the nose has been found by a German physician to be very common among women who wear veils in winter, the parts of the cheek under pressure being also reddened.

The Andes mountain range, whose loftiest peak—Aconcagua—reaches a height of 22,867 feet, is about 4,400 miles long, and from 60 to 300 miles wide. Its bulk has been roughly estimated at that of a mass 100 miles wide and 13,000 feet high throughout the entire length. It contains at Cayambe, an extinct volcano with an altitude of 19,534 feet, the highest point of land on the equator that is buried in eternal snow. The passes between Panama and the Straits of Magellan, according to Prof. Bailey of the Harvard Observatory at Arequipa in Peru, are now known to number 123, with elevations ranging from 2,756 to 16,947 feet above sea level. There is no pass north of Santiago, Chili, lower than 11,000 feet, and in Bolivia the lowest is that of Huacapistaca, 13,573 feet above the sea. In Peru the high mines have led to the crossing of the formidable barrier by a railway reaching a height of 14,555 feet. For the Santiago and Buenos Ayres transcontinental railway an eleven-mile tunnel under Uchallata pass, 12,700 feet high, was projected, but was given up on the discovery of a railway to be built across Andean pass, 200 miles south of Santiago and only 6,890 feet high. This will form a link in a system of railways connecting Chili with the Argentine Republic, breaking through the mighty wall that has kept the two countries apart.

Masonry being expensive in Africa, the experiment of using culverts of metal has been tried on the Congo Railway. Tubes of mild steel varying in thickness from 0.15 to 0.25 of an inch are employed, and are made of diameters of 19.7 and 39.3 inches, and in lengths of 23.6 and 31.5 inches. The joints are closed with Portland cement, over which is fitted a ring. Cheaper joints of tow and lead have been tried, and a later experience no packing of the joints at all, has been thought necessary. These culverts have proven more durable than was anticipated.

The great botanical garden of St. Petersburg is stated to have 24,176 species and varieties of plants under cultivation. The herbarium contains more than a million and a half specimens and the library contains 14,040 different works, which are bound in 27,598 volumes.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM MIDDLESBOROUGH, ANTWERP, LONDON, COLOMBO AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship

"AWA MARU," having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.

Optional goods will be carried on unless instructions are given to the contrary before Noon, To-morrow.

Goods not cleared by the 30th instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. All ship-damaged packages must be left in the Godowns and Notice of same sent to this Office before the 3rd proximo, or claims in connection therewith will not be recognized.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, 23rd April, 1906. 1363

BARQUE "THISTLE" CAPT. A. A. WALDEN, FROM FREEMANTLE.

THE above vessel having arrived, Consignees of the following cargo—B/L 7 G.M.O.J.C. 245 PIECES SAWN TAIKRAH WOOD, shipped to "ORDER," are requested to send in their Bill of Lading or countersignature to the undersigned, and take delivery of the cargo, or same will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

SIEMSEN & CO.

Hongkong, 18th April, 1906. 111

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer.

"PATROCLUS" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft and/or landed at the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., in both cases it will be at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on or after the 24th instant.

Optional cargo will be landed unless notice has been given prior to steamer's arrival. Goods undelivered after the 1st prox. will be subject to rent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 a.m. on the 1st prox.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, 23rd April, 1906. 1261

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer

"TANTALUS" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft and/or landed at the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., in both cases it will be at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on or after the 24th inst.

Optional cargo will be landed, unless notice has been given prior to steamer's arrival. Goods undelivered after the 1st prox. will be subject to rent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 a.m. on the 1st prox.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, 23rd April, 1906. 1262

STEAMSHIP "OCEANIC"

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex s.s. *Guadalquivir*, and Bordeaux ex s.s. *Ville de Montevideo* in connection with above Steamer, are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon, To-day, the 22nd inst., requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after MONDAY, the 30th instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 30th inst., or they will not be recognized. All damaged packages will be examined on MONDAY, the 30th instant, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, 22nd April, 1906. 2

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THE Steamship

"DALNYVOSTOK" Cargo shipped by steamer *Dalnyvostok*, in Tacoma for Hongkong and the South has been transhipped at Kobe and forwarded to Hongkong by steamer *Glenogle*, which arrived to-day the 21st instant.

The Cargo will be landed at Kowloon Wharf Co., West Point Godown, whence delivery will be made.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned.

DODWELL & CO., LTD., Agents.

Hongkong, 21st April, 1906. 1243

NORTH FORMOSA.

FOR SALE—A MAP OF NORTH FORMOSA, by J. W. PARKERSON, I. M. Customs Service. New Edition Coloured. Price, \$2.00. To be had at Daily Press Office and the Bookellers.

Hongkong, 26th June 1890. 1448

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HONGKONG BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

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PUBLIC COMPANIES

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-
ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of
SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the
Office of the Company, No. 9, Praya Central,
MORROW (SATURDAY), the 28th
April, 1900, at 10 o'clock, for the purpose
of considering and voting upon the
Resolutions which were submitted at the
Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 19th
April, 1900, will be submitted for confirmation.
RESOLUTION.
That the Capital of the Company be in-
creased to \$1,000,000 by the creation and issue of
50,000 New Shares of \$10 each fully paid up.
SHEWAN TOMES & CO.,
General Managers. 1154
Hongkong, 13th April, 1900.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that SCRIP
Number 362 for TEN SHARES of
this Company, numbered 7,167 to 7,174, and
dated the 26th May, 1893, in the name of
PUNG WA CHUN, of Hongkong, having
been LOST, a New Scrip for the same will
be issued after One month from the date hereof,
and the Original Scrip will be considered by
the Company as null and void, and all persons
are hereby warned against accepting or nego-
tiating the same.
By Order,
HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.
Hongkong, 30th March, 1900. 1285

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
AN INTERIM BONUS of Twenty per
Cent. on the Profits for the year
1899 has been declared.
WARRANTS will be issued on the 1st May.
By Order of the Board,
W. J. SAUNDERS,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 20th April, 1900. 1220

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that SCRIP
Number 412 for 8 SHARES of the
Company, numbered 12,450 to 12,457, in the name
of WILLIAM MONARCH BURNSIDE
ARTHUR, Esquire, of Hongkong, having
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be issued after One month from the date hereof,
and the Original Scrip will be considered by
the Company as null and void, and all persons
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SHEWAN TOMES & CO.,
General Managers. 1124
Hongkong, 11th April, 1900.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a Meeting
of the Board of Directors of the above
Company, held at the Registered Office of the
Company, Queen's Road, Hongkong, on the
24th day of April, 1900, the following Resolutions
were passed:-
1. That in pursuance of the provisions of
the Special Resolution passed at an Ex-
traordinary General Meeting of the Company
held on the 7th and confirmed on the
24th March instant and since duly
registered, the sum of \$1,250,000 be
withdrewn from the Reserve Fund and
Credit of Capital Account, each Share
being credited with a sum of \$25 as paid
up thereon in addition to the sum of \$50
now standing to the credit of each Share.
2. That the balance of \$25 per Share of the
Unpaid Capital of the Company be called
up, and that a Call be and is hereby
made of \$25 per Share upon the 24th
Shareholders of the Company, and that the
Shareholders be requested to pay the
same to the Company's Bankers, the
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor-
poration, at their premises, Queen's Road
Central, on or before the 2nd day of
July, 1900.
Shareholders are hereby requested to pay
accordingly.
And Notice is also given that in accordance
with Article 4 of the Company's Articles of
Association, interest will be charged as of
said 2nd day of July, 1900, at the rate of \$13
percentum per annum, upon all Calls remaining
unpaid after the 5th day of February, 1900, up
to the actual date of payment of the same.
By Order of the Board,
A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 30th March, 1900. 1916

THE CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SECOND
INSTALLMENT of 25 per SHARE in
respect of the 50,000 New Shares has been called
and holders of such Shares who have not
already paid this instalment are requested to
PAY the amount of such Call to the Under-
signed at the Office of the Company, 36,
Praya Central, on or before the 30th APRIL,
1900.
Dated: 27th March, 1900.
SHEWAN TOMES & CO.,
General Managers. 920

THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that SCRIP
number 240 for 15 SHARES of the
Company, numbered 28,904 to 28,918, in the
name of PAUL JORDAN, Esquire, of Hong-
kong, having been LOST, a New Scrip for the
same will be issued after One month from the
date hereof, and the Original Scrip will be
considered by the Company as null and void,
and all persons are hereby warned against
accepting or negotiating the same.
SHEWAN TOMES & CO.,
General Managers. 937
Hongkong, 30th March, 1900.

PUBLIC COMPANIES

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-
ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of
the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and
Godown Company, Limited, will be held
at the Company's Office, No. 2, CONNAUGHT
ROAD, Victoria, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the
4th day of May, 1900, at 12 o'clock (NOON), when
the Subjunct Resolutions which were passed at
the Extraordinary General Meeting of the
Company held on the 18th day of April, 1900,
will be submitted for confirmation as Special
Resolutions.
1. That the Capital of the Company be in-
creased from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000 by the
creation of 10,000 New Shares of \$50
each.
2. That such New Shares be issued at a
Premium of \$25 per Share and be allotted
to the Shareholders of the Company in the
proportion of One New Share for every
Two Shares now held by them.
3. That the amount due for the New Shares
be called up as follows, viz:-
\$30 per share on the 1st July, 1900, to
frank for Six months' Dividend out of the
Profits of the Year 1900, and the balance
of \$20 per Share on the 1st October,
1900.
Dated the 13th of April, 1900.
By Order of the Board,
EDWARD OSBORNE,
Secretary.

NOTICES OF FIRMS

NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Underwritten have been appointed
SOLE LOCAL AGENTS after the
decease of Mr. DALRYMPLE.
All communications regarding the above
Company should please address to
ARNOLD, KARBERS & CO.,
Hongkong, 25th April, 1900. 1271

THE CHEUNG FAT FERRY COMPANY, LIMITED.

APPLICATIONS for SHARES may be
made to the NATIONAL BANK OF
CHINA, LIMITED, up to 30th April.
LAUTS, GREENBERG & CO.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 26th April, 1900. 1285

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By Order,
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Hongkong, 30th March, 1900. 1285

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Credit of Capital Account, each Share
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Secretary.
Hongkong, 30th March, 1900. 1916

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SHEWAN TOMES & CO.,
General Managers. 937
Hongkong, 30th March, 1900.

VERRELS & EXPORTED.

THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The P. & O. steamer *Coromandel*, with the
English Mail of the 26th instant, left Hong-
kong on Saturday, the 22nd instant, at 6 p.m.,
and may be expected here to-day. This steamer
brings replies to February.

The T. K. K. steamer *Hongkong Maru* with
the American Mail, left Shanghai on Wednes-
day, the 25th instant, at daylight, and may
be expected here to-day.

The P. & O. steamer *Chinai*, with Mails, Sa-
lai, San Francisco for this port via Honolulu,
Yokohama, Iland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and
Shanghai on the 17th instant.

THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The C. P. R. steamer *Empress of Japan* left
Yokohama for Hongkong via usual ports of
call on Thursday, the 19th instant.

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The E. & A. steamer *Admiral*, left Sydney,
N.S.W., for this port via Melbourne, on
Thursday, the 19th instant.

THE GERMAN MAIL.

The Hamburg-American Line steamer *Hamb-
urg*, carrying the German Mail, with Mails,
from Berlin of the 2nd instant, left Colombo
on Friday, the 24th instant, and may be
expected here on or about Tuesday, the 1st
proximo.

The Imperial German Mail steamer *Prinz
Heinrich* left Kobe via Nagasaki and Shanghai
on Sunday, the 22nd instant, and may be ex-
pected here on or about Tuesday, the 1st
proximo.

MERCHANT STEAMERS.

The H. A. L. steamer *Sandia*, from Hong-
kong, left Singapore for this port on the 25th
instant, and may be expected here on or about
the 24th instant.

The N. Y. K. steamer *Tanaka Maru* (Europe
Line) left Kobe via Nagasaki and Shanghai on
the 25th instant, and is expected to arrive here
on the 2nd proximo.

The P. & O. steamer *Empress of India* sailed from
Tientsin for Japan and Hongkong on the 5th
instant.

The N. P. steamer *Alfred* has arrived at
Yokohama and sailed for Hongkong on the
24th instant.

The "Eon" Line steamer *Barbari*, from
London, left Singapore on the 24th instant for
this port.

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